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Invention:

HEAT STABLE COLLOIDAL IRON OXIDES COATED WITH REDUCED

CARBOHYDRATES AND CARBOHYDRATE DERIVATIVES

Art Unit:

1619

Examiner:

Wells, L

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by facsimile to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, at 703-308-4556, to the attention of Examiner Lauren Q. Wells, on June 4, 2002.

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C.

SUPPLEMENT TO RESPONSE B

Dear Sir:

In supplement to Response B, filed April 25, 2002, and in reply to the Office Communication of May 21, 2002, Applicants hereby supply the following clean paragraphs and marked up paragraphs. No further changes have been made herein.